The London Gazette.

Published by Authority.

From Thursday April 26. to Saturday April 28. 1711.

Whitehall, April 29.

ON Saturday last Signior Pietro Grimani, Ambassador in Ordinary from the Republick of Venice to Her Majesty, made his Publick Entry. He was received at Greenwich by the Right Honourable the Earl of Bath, and Sir Clement Cottrell, Master of the Ceremonies, accompanied by six Gentlemen of Her Majesty's Privy-Chamber, and brought by Water in Her Majesty's Barges to the Tower. The Commanding Officer there Complimented his Excellency at his Landing, and he was saluted with a Discharge of the Cannon, the Standard being display'd. From thence he was conducted in Her Majesty's Coach, three of his own Coaches, one with eight Horses, and the other two with six Horses a-piece, and many Coaches of the Nobility with six Horses each following, to his House, where his Excellency was complimented in Her Majesty's Name by the Right Honourable the Lord Howard of Effingham. His Excellency yesterday entertain'd at Dinner the Persons of Quality and others that accompanied him at his Entry. His Train consisted of several Gentlemen, with many Pages, Footmen, and other Servants in rich Liveries

And this Day being appointed for his Publick Audience, the Right Honourable the Earl of Cardigan, and Sir Clement Cottrell, Master of the Ceremonies, with six Gentlemen of the Privy-Chamber, conducted him from his own House to St. James's in Her Majesty's Coach, follow'd by his Excellency's own Coaches, and many Coaches of the Nobility, as at the Entry. His Excellency was receiv'd at the Gate of the Palace by the Knight Marshal's Deputy. Her Majesty's Foot Guards then upon Duty were drawn up in the Court, and their Officers saluted his Excellency with Pike and Colours, and afterwards with their Hats as he passed by. His Excellency was conducted to the little Council Chamber, and when Her Majesty was ready proceeded to his Audience. He was received at the Guard Chamber Door by the Commanding Officer of the Yeomen of the Guard, and afterwards by Lieutenant-General Seymour, at the Head of the Band of Gentlemen Pensioners (the Duke of St. Albans being absent) and at the Door of the Room of Audience by his Grace the Duke of Shrewsbury, Lord Chamberlain of Her Majesty's Household. This Audience being over, the Ambassador was reconducted by the Right Honourable the Earl of Cardigan, the Master of the Ceremonies, and the Gentlemen of the Privy-Chamber, in the same manner to his own House.

Milan, April 17. N. S. They write from Rome, that the Marquis de Prie had lately a long Audience of the Pope, in which it was thought the Restitution of Commachio wou'd have been settled, notwithstanding which that Affair continues in the same condition wherein it was before, without any appearance of its being brought to a Determination. Monsieur Molinos has receiv'd an Express from Saragossa, dated the 17th of March, advising, that the Duke of Uzeda's Secretary had been seiz'd there by Order of the Duke of Anjou; and that upon examining his Papers, it appear'd there was a Design on foot of delivering Sicily into the Hands of the Allies; whereupon a Courier was immediately dispatch'd into that Island, to the end the Government there might be upon its Guard, and prevent the Effects of such dangerous Engagements.

Cairs, April 18. N. S. On the 9th of this Month a new Congress of the three Leagues met here, and Mr. Manning, the Queen of Great Britain's Secretary, presented a Memorial to the Diet, in behalf of Monsieur Masner, and the Passage of the German Troops through this Country. The Partisans of France had so influenced the last Congress, as to have the Passage for those Troops permitted only 'till the 11th Instant; but Mr. Manning has obtain'd a Prolongation for a Month more; and whereas considerable Bodies of Recruits have passed through this Country since the beginning of March, and continue still to do the same, it is hoped all the Forces design'd for Italy and Spain, whose Rout is appointed through these Parts, will have finish'd their March before the Expiration of that Term. The Diet separated without coming to any Resolution in relation to Monsieur Masner's Affair; but as the Imperial Court appear resolv'd to support that Gentleman's Interest to the utmost, it is thought the next Congress, which is appointed to meet the 29th Instant, will be more moderate and favourable to him than the last.

Dresden, April 24. N. S. Yesterday Morning the King of Poland sent a Courier to Hanover, from whence Monsieur Fabricius, his Electoral Highness's Envoy to this Court, is expected to Morrow. On Saturday last an Express arriv'd here from the Czar of Muscovy, and it is now said the King proposeth to have an Interview with that Prince at Cracow, in case his Czarish Majesty's Affairs will permit him to come so far. The Diet of this Electorate having adjusted every thing to the entire Satisfaction of his Majesty, had this Day a final Dismission with the usual Ceremonies; the King on this Occasion express'd, in very ample Terms, how well pleas'd he had been with their Behaviour, and the Dispatch of the several Matters that had been laid before them, to which he was answer'd by their Marshal or Speaker. By our last Letters from Poland, which bring nothing material, we are advis'd, that the Czar of Muscovy was arriv'd at Smolensko, and had given Orders for removing all the Forage and Provisions out of the open Country, as the readiest way to prevent the Incursions of the Tartars, who will by that means be depriv'd of a Subsistance in those Parts.

From the Camp at Warde, *May 4. N. S.* On Friday the 1st Instant the Army marched from Orchies, and having passed the Scarpe near Douay, encamp'd with the Right at Goullerin, and the Left at Sommain. The Enemy continue encamp'd between Valenciennes and Arras, with the Schelde and the Senset before them, having by the help of Sluices let out the Water of the latter, and drown'd the Country in those Places where they judg'd their Camp accessible.

Hague, May 5. N. S. This Morning the Prince of Savoy arriv'd at this Place, where he proposeth to make but a short stay. General Palmes came hither the 3d Instant, much Indispos'd with the Gout, and is preparing to embark with the first Opportunity for England. It is said here, the King of Prussia is to set out the 20th of

Cleve,